

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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Fakhrul Huda,

Plaintiff,

—v—

New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation,
et al.,

Defendants.

19-CV-11556 (AJN)

ORDER

ALISON J. NATHAN, District Judge:

On March 10, 2020, Defendants filed a motion to dismiss. Dkt. No. 20. Pursuant to Rule 3.F of this Court's Individual Practices in Civil Cases, on or before March 20, 2019, Plaintiff must notify the Court and its adversary in writing whether (1) Plaintiff intends to file an amended pleading and when it will do so or (2) Plaintiff will rely on the pleading being attacked. Plaintiff is on notice that declining to amend Plaintiff's pleadings to timely respond to a fully briefed argument in Defendants' motion to dismiss may well constitute a waiver of the Plaintiff's right to use the amendment process to cure any defects that have been made apparent by the Defendants' briefing. *See Loreley Fin. (Jersey) No. 3 Ltd. v. Wells Fargo Sec., LLC.*, 797 F.3d 160 (2d Cir. 2015) (leaving "unaltered the grounds on which denial of leave to amend has long been held proper, such as undue delay, bad faith, dilatory motive, and futility").

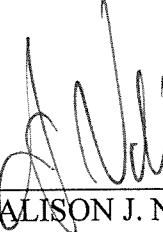
If Plaintiff chooses to amend, Defendants may then (a) file an answer; (b) file a new motion to dismiss; or (c) submit a letter stating that it relies on the initially-filed motion to dismiss.

Nothing in this Order alters the time to amend, answer or move provided by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure or Local Rules.

The initial pre-trial conference scheduled for May 22, 2020 is hereby adjourned pending resolution of this motion.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 13, 2020
New York, New York



ALISON J. NATHAN
United States District Judge